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Federal Aviation Administration 800 Independence Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20591

Attention:

Mr. Nicholas Sabatini, Associate Administrator for Regulation and

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Subject:

ARAC Recommendation

Reference:

ARAC Tasking, Federal Register, August 27, 1998

Dear Nick,

The Transport Airplane and Engine Issues Group is pleased to submit the attached "Fast Track" report (25.865, Fire Protection of Structure) to the FAA as an ARAC recommendation. This report contains a proposed Advisory Circular which contains concepts that are to be validated by upcoming fire tests at the FAA Technical Center. The FAA is requested to accomplish the requested testing and suggest changes to the AC if the test results warrant.

Sincerely yours,

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